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ISSUES WARNING FOR ALL AMERICAN VOLUNTEERS

MEXICAN EMBASSY AT WASHINGTON RECEIVES FORMAL ANNOUNCEMENT OF MEXICO'S LATEST MOVE.

BATTLES ARE BEING FOUGHT

Troops Start On Their First Real "Hike"—Artillery, Cavalry and Infantry In Party As Well As An Airship Observer.

(BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.)

Washington, D. C., March 16.—Formal notice of the action of the Mexican congress yesterday in carrying out the recommendation of President Diaz for the suspension of constitutional guarantees was received at Mexican embassy today.

This action is given for the publicity of the embassy in order that Americans who may be tempted to cast their lot with the insurgents may be duly warned of consequences that may follow.

Left New York.

New York, N. Y., March 16.—The sudden departure from New York of Mexican minister Francisco Llamanour after a week of conferences and negotiation the precise nature of which has not hitherto been clear is now explained by understanding that he succeeded in effecting a tentative plan by which substantial reforms are expected to be immediately put in force by the Mexican government, and leading insurrectionists being satisfied to aid in restoring peace.

Hurrying Home.

Columbus, O., March 16.—Jose Llamanour, the Mexican minister of finance passed through Columbus today hurrying from New York to Mexico in response to important secret messages.

Town Terrorized.

El Paso, Texas, March 16.—Juarez spent a sleepless night with the streets patrolled by a double force of guards and practically the entire garrison under arms.

The coming of daylight materially lessened the anxiety aroused by last night's attack upon the barracks when the insurrectionists demolished a portion of the barracks with bombs and escaped with the loss of but two of their number who are wounded and were taken prisoners.

The authorities persist in the declaration, the Federal authorities no

ANTI-LIQUOR MEN WIN FIRST ROUND IN LEGISLATURE

First Fight Comes Off and Denhardt, Framer of Bill Throws Glove Into Legislative Arena.

(BY SPECIAL TO THE GAZETTE.)

Madison, Wis., March 16.—The first fight on the liquor question at this session of the legislature occurred last night, and the anti-liquor element had the satisfaction of winning at a walk. In fact, after the fireworks had been exhausted everybody, nearly, jumped on the bandwagon thrown the harpoon into King Alcohol. The bill was Denhardt's, 163 A., prohibiting the sale or giving away of liquor at public auction. Denhardt, who is an auctioneer, said that he knew from long observation that farmers and others who are filled with liquor at sales are excited to reckless action, leading them to buy needlessly, and he quoted from the statutes which says that "notes obtained by fraud or given by an intoxicated person cannot be collected." He deplored the custom of getting young boys drunk at auctions.

Assemblyman Riehler offered several amendments. In succession, the first proposing that the sale of "squirrel whiskey" be prohibited at auctions. No one seemed to know what that brand is like and Riehler failed to enlighten the house. Another amendment sought to lower the amount of the fine.

Assemblyman Dorner spoke against the bill and moved indefinite postponement. Assemblyman Gettle made a vigorous speech favoring the Denhardt bill. He said the question of minimizing the effects of ladder-in-a-tree handling of liquor was one too serious for facetious consideration, that auctions are a common scene of drunken debauches, and that the bill should pass.

Assemblyman Long became eloquent in support of the bill, saying he had seen more drunkenness at auctions than at any one place that he had seen men under the influence of liquor sign notes, and declared in closing he would vote for the bill.

Assemblyman Wheeler opposed the bill, saying it was an insult to the American farmer. He said that liquor

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PHONE MERGER MAY CAUSE LITIGATION

Four Stockholders of Local Racing Phone Company Refuse to Sell to Bell People.

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Racing, Wis., March 16.—A lawsuit may ensue as a result of the merger of the Citizen's Telephone system with the Bell interests. Four stockholders of the local company today refused to sell their twenty shares apiece. Owners of resident phones are up in arms today because of the statement of Manager Oliver that rates on party lines will be boosted 50 percent.

Clerk of the Circuit Court Jesse Earle, who has been ill at his home for the past few days, is much improved today.

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MRS. MELBER'S FATE IN HANDS OF JURY

Alleged Murderess of Five Year Old Son Now Awaits Verdict of the Jury.

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Albany, N. Y., March 16.—The case of Mrs. Edith Melber, aged 25, charged with murdering her five year old son, George, by forcing cold, down his throat, went to the jury at 2:25 this afternoon.

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One Million Dollars in Loss To Queen and Crescent Railroad in Kentucky As Result of Strike.

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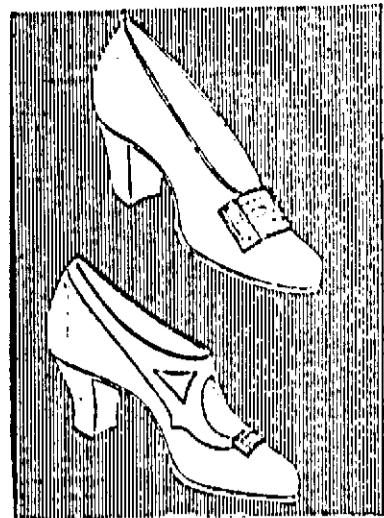
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BUYING NEARLY COMPLETED NOW

ONLY VERY FEW SCATTERING CROPS ARE LEFT IN STATE ACCORDING TO TOBACCO DEALERS.

NEWS IN THE LOCAL MARKET

Work of Sorting Continues Without Interruption—One Warehouse Has Finished—Business Fairly Drift.

There are but very few crops of the 1910 tobacco in the state which remain unsold at the present time according to the dealers here. All the best of the leaf has been picked up and what few crops do remain are either inferior or in remote parts. The dealers have stopped riding through the country and most of their time is devoted to recycling, superintending the work of sorting and packing and planning the sale campaign for the 1910 lots.

From the present indications it is believed that the market for the new packings will be fairly good, as a number of the dealers here have already shipped small consignments to the east and at least one shipment here during the past week, that of John Soutman, has been made for export. While the crop this year was generally believed to be of inferior quality at the beginning of the season it is now showing up much better and some very fine lots have been received. The fact that the leaf was bought at a lower price this season and can be put on the market at a reasonable figure is one of the causes for the present demand.

One of the warehouses here, that of H. L. Ehrler, has finished sorting after a run of between nine and ten weeks, and the final packing and clearing up is now being done there. When the work is finished some 500 cases will be the total packing at this warehouse.

Other dealers continue the work of sorting without interruption and among those who have been planning on rather small packings present prospects are that they will finish about a month, while others will run their forces until the first and middle of June. There will be three or four warehouses which will probably continue working for that length of time.

There has been a good deal of the leaf delivered this week; among those who have received are: The American Tobacco Company, some 60,000 pounds today, and two carloads yesterday; J. S. Barnes took in several carloads at Edgerton yesterday and is receiving a car at Madison today; Sanford Soverhill, T. E. Welsh and John Soutman have also received varying amounts.

There is not much activity in old tobacco at present but several large transactions are reported to be in the process of formation. T. E. Welsh shipped a car of '09 this week and also a car of the new crop mostly low grades, to eastern dealers.

Although it is early in the season there is some speculation as to the prospects for the tobacco crop this year. In the opinion of most of the tobacco men the acreage will be slightly increased all over the state compared with last year. There were a large number of growers last year who were badly effected by the drought and the scarcity of plants last season. Should conditions be normal the present season much of the acreage which was not planted last year will be regained this. However, the total acreage will undoubtedly not be over the general average for the past several years.

REGULAR MEETING OF THE W. C. T. U.

Organization Spent Afternoon in Business Session and in Making Plans for County Convention.

The regular meeting of the W. C. T. U. was held at their hall Wednesday afternoon and evening. The afternoon was devoted to the business of the local union and some plans for the county convention, which is to be held in this city this year, followed by an evening program, the subject being "Scientific Temperance Instruction," with Mrs. Geo. Jacobs as leader.

A "quiz" was conducted and taken part in by all present, which proved both interesting and instructive. A duet was rendered by Mrs. Nichols and Mrs. Jacobs, accompanied by Miss McCarthy, and interesting papers were read by Mrs. Horwood and Mrs. Jacobs. Mrs. Hoffman again responded with a short address.

The Beloit Union has extended an invitation to the Janesville Union to meet with them on Friday afternoon, and it is hoped a goodly number will accept the invitation.

THRILLING STORY STARTS TOMORROW.

Tomorrow's issue of the Gazette will contain the first installment of the new book, "The Bronze Bell," an East Indian Mystery story of a bright likeable American in an interesting romance.

CELEBRATED BIRTHDAY WITH THEATRE PARTY

Miss Madge Chatfield entertained twelve of her little friends this afternoon at a theatre party upon the occasion of her sixth birthday. The young friends of Mrs. Chatfield who were present were, Isabelle Fletcher, Marie Brown, Gladys and Dorores Kramer, Francis Scollard, Katherine Dougherty, Francis Ross, Dorothy and Stewart Heaton, Hazel Chiscom and Ruth Fletcher. The party was chaired by Mrs. Chatfield and Miss Hynd.

READ THE EAST INDIAN MYSTERY STORY, THE BRONZE BELL.
First chapter starts tomorrow, a thrilling romance of the Orient depicting a brilliant American in an intensely interesting romance.

Read every ad tonight just to get acquainted with the merchants.

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Make your advertising a steady diet and not a banquet.

ARRESTED A WOMAN WANTED FOR THEFT

Lucille Sherman, Accused of Stealing Clothes in Fond du Lac, Taken to Northern City Today.

Coming here from Fond du Lac, where she is wanted for the theft of a number of articles of women's wear and evening apparel, Lucille Sherman was last evening arrested by the Janesville police and held here until this noon. On the arrival of an officer from the northern city today she was returned to Fond du Lac to face the charges against her. The young woman left Fond du Lac on Friday night and came to Janesville on Monday, going to the St. Charles hotel, where she was found by the police. Yesterday afternoon a letter was received from the Fond du Lac department, asking Chief Appleby to look for and arrest. It found a young woman whose description fitted Miss Sherman fairly well. She is charged with stealing five silk waist, a white linen waist, lingerie, one pink silk chemise, five white linen chemise, three dollars and several handkerchiefs. A trunk and two valises were taken with the Sherman woman and the articles described were found in these. The woman, who is evidently a member of the class of undesirables, is tall with light complexion and light yellow hair. She claims that the goods were placed in her trunk by another person who packed it when she was ordered out of Fond du Lac by the police.

OBITUARY.

Louise Christine Wolfgram.

Mrs. Louise Christine Wolfgram passed away at four o'clock this morning at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Jos. Osterman, in the town of La Prairie. The deceased was nearly 87 years of age and had been ailing for some time.

Mrs. Wolfgram was born in Germany, April 26, 1824, and there she lived until some thirty years ago when she came to this country. She came to Rock county and had made this her home since that time. She was possessed of a cheerful disposition and was beloved by a host of friends here. She leaves three sons and two daughters. They are: Herman Wolfgram, of Lake Mills; August of Washington state; and Fred who lived in Germany; Mrs. William Heil of Lake Mills; and Mrs. Joe Osterman of the town of La Prairie. Notice of the funeral will be given later.

Carlos Brown.

Funeral services for the late Carlos Brown will be held tomorrow morning at half past ten from the home, 407 Fourth Avenue, Rev. J. C. Huzen will officiate.

William Wolcott.

William Wolcott, one of the pioneer residents of the state, passed away at his home in Sharon last Tuesday morning. The deceased was one of the early settlers of the state and came here from Aurora county, New York. He was seventy-five years old. He was an uncle of Dr. F. G. Wolcott of this city.

THREE ARRANGED FOR DRUNKENNESS IN COURT

One Man Paid Fine, Another Went to Jail, and the Third Was Allowed to Go.

Otto Kranz of Avalon paid a fine of \$1 and costs of \$2 in municipal court today for drunkenness. Frank McDermott who, it was claimed, had been giving the police and the members of his family considerable trouble because he persisted in drinking, was sent to jail for three days and given the alternative of paying a fine of three dollars and costs or remaining with the sheriff for five days. Pat Goodman pleaded not guilty to the charges preferred against him and his trial was set for one o'clock. Later, after a conference with Judge Filfold, Chief of Police Appleby released Goodman. The man is considered slightly unbalanced mentally and the chief lectured Goodman and warned him that more severe measures would be taken if he did not mend his ways. The man gave his promise to stop drinking.

Play Football in Bare Feet.

Football is popular in Burma. The natives play the game with bare feet.

BELoit WON FINAL GAME OF SEASON

Overwhelmingly Defeated Ripon in Last Basketball Game of Schedule With Score of 24 to 5.

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Beloit, March 16.—In the final game of its basketball season, Beloit college overwhelmed Ripon by the one-sided score of 24 to 5, here last night. Although Beloit was handicapped by the loss of Capt. Miles, and Spamer, she had no difficulty in conquering her rivals. The team work and determined play of the Beloit men far outclassed that of their opponents, so that Ripon was able to score only two field goals in the whole game. The game was full of tough play and excitement throughout, but the result was not in doubt at all after the first five minutes of play. Puffer played a brilliant game, while Murphy played in his usual consistent and heady manner, missing several difficult throws by the merest fraction.

As a preliminary to the final game, the closing contest of the intercollegiate basketball championship race was played by the Juniors and Freshmen. The game was a hot one, ending with the score 16 to 7 in favor of the upper classmen.

These games close the basketball season for this year, and now all attention will be directed toward baseball, in which outdoor practice has already commenced. Beloit has high hopes of a season as successful in that sport as in football and basketball.

Line-up, Beloit-Ripon game:

Beloit: Murphy, cf; Post, lf; Puffer, c; Van Lom, rk; Gray, ls; Ripon: Schwartz, rf; Pease-Wood, lf; Everhard, c; David, rk; Beauchamp, ls.

Goals: Gray (1), Murphy (3), Gray (2), Beauchamp (2). Free throws—Puffer (2), Pease—Referred—Hoffman, Chicago.

Clinton will vote on LOCAL OPTION MATTER

Petition Signed By Forty Voters Was Filed With Village Clerk This Afternoon.

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Clinton, March 16.—That Clinton would vote on the local option matter was clinched this afternoon when J. B. Smith filed a petition relative to the matter, with F. M. Barres, village clerk. The petition contained about forty names.

Another Fire.

Warren H. Latta's house was again on fire Tuesday apparently from sparks from the chimney as before, but was extinguished before as much damage was caused as before. This is the fifth time, it is said, this home has been on fire.

Coming Soon.

Rev. L. L. Cory writes that they will load their household goods into the car Friday or Saturday, March 24-25, and Mr. Cory expects to be here the following Monday and Mrs. Cory and Miss Olive will come Tuesday. A hearty welcome is assured them by the Clinton people.

Miss Rebecca Smith.

Our people were shocked to learn that Miss Rebecca Smith had peacefully passed away. The remains will be taken to Peoria, Ill., for interment. They, Clyde Mettee of Chicago, former pastor here, will officiate, arriving here tomorrow noon.

To Move Library.

The ladies of the 20th Century Club have arranged to install the Clinton public library in the firemen's building east side of Main street. The date of the removal from its present location at Hurr's drug store, will be announced.

To Celebrate Anniversary.

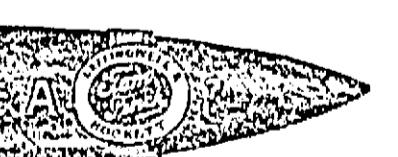
Mr. and Mrs. Charles Petts Drake wish to announce the fiftieth anniversary of their wedding on Monday, March 20th and will be at home to all their friends who wish to call during the afternoon and evening. No presents.

Personal.

M. M. Murry and S. Jones were in Beloit yesterday.

A. V. Peters is gaining very rapidly and is able to be up and dressed and walk about the house and the next warm day expects to ride down town.

A number of little school friends gave Gladys Reeder a farewell party last evening and presented her with a beautiful goldenrod spoon.



20 lbs. standard Granulated pure cane sugar \$1.00. In bags of 25 lbs. at \$1.25.

FREE PRESENTS TO ALL PATRONS FRIDAY AND SATURDAY.

With every purchase of 30c or more we give absolutely free your choice of German China Dinnerware, beautifully decorated. Assortment includes plates, cups and saucers, oatmeal dishes, sauce dishes, pie plates, etc.

CAMEL COFFEE IS ALWAYS FRESH.

It comes in sealed packages, direct from the roaster each week. It's the finest quality at the price ever offered. We import it direct at headquarters in New York, and save all middlemen's profits. Three grades 30c, 35c, 40c.

SUN KEE TEA

This is the name of our own imported tea, put up in sealed packages, imported direct from the Orient to you. All varieties under one name, Sun Kee Tea, the name of quality. 1/2 lb. packages 30c, 1 lb. packages 60c.

We sell the best Jap rice at wholesale. One lb. bags at 5c. Try it.



18 So. Main St.

The scholarship honors for commencement were awarded yesterday to Miss Hazel Berry, first, and Clifton Bumpus, second.

The spring school vacation will commence March 29 and end April 3rd, and the year will close June 2nd.

BRODHEAD.

Brodhead, March 16.—Mrs. W. N. Cobb and the Misses Caroline Spaulding and Belle Gosling spent Wednesday in Janesville.

J. N. Emdinger made a business trip to Beloit on Wednesday.

Delton Howard, who has been no skating for some months at the depot, has accepted and already began his duties with the Hedden Lumber company of this city.

Henry Boyce of Sun Prairie was the guest of his brother and sister, John and Minnie, and left on Wednesday for his home.

James Quest of Rock Grove spent the fore part of the week in Brodhead the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Allen.

Miss Ida Rohr returned to her home in Millin, on Wednesday after some days spent in visiting herabouts. Miss Florence Rico accompanied her and will remain a few days.

Mrs. L. D. Beckwith and little son, Marc, of Melrose, New Mexico, arrived here on Wednesday for an extended visit with relatives and friends.

Harley Dredick is taking an enforced vacation on account of a number of boils.

Ed. Kunz of Wesley, Iowa visited his cousin, Edith Scherbeck, and family, and left on Wednesday for his home.

Mrs. Lucas returned from a visit of some weeks with her son, F. W. Lucas, in Madison, Tuesday evening.

The funeral of Abe Evans occurred today at the home, conducted by Rev. J. Lloyd Smith of the Congregational church. Interment was in Greenwood cemetery.

Mrs. F. E. Niles of Menomonie is in the city to attend the Hoglund-Carpenter wedding.

SILVERWARE

The most worthy showing that could be wished for. To see our present assortment is to see everything there is produced in fine silverware.

OLIN & GLSON, Jewelers.

NOTTINGHAM LACE

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SCREWS

ROPE

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WALL PAPER

PAINTS

BRUSHES

GLASS

SEE BIG PEACE PACT

ARBITRATION TREATY BETWEEN U. S. AND ENGLAND POSSIBLE.

Draft of Convention May Be Ready for Submission to Extra Session of Congress.

Washington, March 10.—Action on a treaty between the United States and Great Britain providing for unlimited arbitration on all questions affecting the two countries is more than a possibility at the extra session of congress which convenes April 4.

It is known that Secretary of State Knox and the British ambassador, James Bryce, have discussed such a pact to the extent of exchanging opinions, but the provisions of such a treaty have not yet been committed to paper.

Now that England so far as her press is concerned has taken the attitude of commendation of Sir Edward Grey's offer in the house of commons to conclude such an agreement with the United States, the actual consideration of a step of this nature appears to be materially closer. The fact that negotiations have proceeded so far that a treaty can be drafted, and put in shape to be presented to congress shortly after the opening, raises the question to a position of unusual, almost imminent, importance.

Advocates of world-peace will avail themselves of this opportunity to urge action as the accomplishment of such a treaty has been characterized as "the greatest step that can be taken towards the ultimate eradication of war."

The noteworthy feature of the treaty suggested by President Taft is the proposed agreement to submit all questions, even those involving national honor, to arbitration. Therefore such questions have been expressly excluded from arbitration agreements, and the pending arrangement already taken to foist the honor of being the most comprehensive movement towards a guarantee of peace between the two countries that has ever been initiated.

The most important single difficulty that presents itself to an agreement of this kind so far as the United States senate is concerned is the insistence of that chamber on its constitutional right to pass upon every question that involves the national honor. The action of the senate on a treaty which does away with this privilege cannot, of course, be forecasted. The attitude of the senate on this question will not be settled until it declares itself either for or against the ratification of the treaty when submitted.

TAFT TOASTED BY CHILEANS

President of South American Republic Gives Banquet to Officers of Battleship Delaware.

Valparaiso, Chile, March 10.—President Barros gave a banquet for Captain Gove, Commander Phelps and the officers of the American battleship Delaware. American Minister Fletcher was a guest, as were members of the cabinet and high officials of the Chilean army and navy.

In offering a toast to President Taft, the American navy and Minister Fletcher, the minister of marine said that Chile appreciated the new evidence of American friendship presented in the visit of the battleship which brought home the body of Anibal Cruz, Chilean minister at Washington. Responding, Mr. Fletcher eulogized the career of Anibal Cruz and said that President Taft had sent the best warship in the navy to show the world the strength of the ties between America and Chile.

ZELAYA SCENTS PLOT

DECLARES U. S. STIRS UP CENTRAL AMERICAN DISCORD.

Late Nicaragua President Explains to Europe That This Nation Will Dominate Western Hemisphere.

Paris, March 10.—Jose Santos Zelaya, who was compelled to relinquish the presidency of Nicaragua at the time of the recent revolution, gave an interview to Le Siecle in which he violently attacked the attitude of the United States toward the Mexican affair.

Zelaya charges that the United States government, inspired by the prospect of commercial and financial gain, is waging a merciless war not only with Mexico, but against the whole of Central America, which it seeks to absorb so as to become absolute master of the western hemisphere.

He asserts, too, that the United States is deliberately inciting revolutions in Latin-America that they may serve as excuses for intervention. He pictures President Diaz of Mexico, "my friend and a grand, courageous old man, who despite his eighty years plunged daily in a cold bath and rides his horse like a gentleman," as "patriotically and bravely but vainly resisting American encroachments."

Whisky for the Common. A bountiful supply of Scotch whisky is always provided for the British house of commons. For the 670 members a vat of 800 gallons, especially distilled for them, is always at hand. Its contents are never permitted to fall below a certain level. It is refilled two or three times in a session.

THRILLING STORY STARTS TOMORROW.

Tomorrow's issue of the Gazette will contain the first installment of the new book, The Bronze Bell, an East Indian Mystery story of a bright likeable American in an interesting romance.

IN DANGER OF STARVATION

Many Deaths Thought to Have Occurred as Result of Cold in Labrador.

North Sidney, C. B., March 10.—That the rigorous winter has caused extreme suffering and probably many deaths in the barren Labrador peninsula, which has been isolated for months by great ice fields, is the fear felt here.

The last reports from the north, received here last fall, said that the food supplies were almost exhausted and that hundreds of the natives were on the verge of starvation.

Repeated efforts have been made to carry supplies to the district, but vessels have failed to pierce the ice floes which choke the strait of Belle Isle.

The misfortunes of the Labrador natives had their beginning in the failure of last season's fishing catch. It was the poorest in years.

PLAN A STRIKE BY 23,000

Employees of Tailoring Concerns in Vienna Will Ask Shorter Hours and More Pay.

Vienna, March 10.—Twenty-three thousand men and women employees of the women's tailoring establishments in Vienna have decided to strike for higher wages and shorter hours.

The workers demand a new scale for women, beginning at 16 cents a day and rising automatically eight cents yearly to the maximum of one dollar a day, and for men \$1.60 a day instead of the present \$1.32.

Roads Pay Heavy Fines. Buffalo, N. Y., March 10.—The New York Central was fined \$35,000 and the Pennsylvania railroad \$20,000 by Judge Hazel in the United States district court after attorneys for the railroads had entered pleas of guilty to granting rebates to the Standard Oil company.

Iowa Puts Off Liquor Issue.

Des Moines, Ia., March 10.—The Iowa senate killed the resolution for a constitutional prohibitory amendment convention by adopting the committee report for indefinite postponement.

READ THE EAST INDIAN MYSTERY STORY, THE BRONZE BELL.

First chapter starts tomorrow, a thrilling romance of the Orient depicting a brilliant American in an intensely interesting romance.

WERE SURPRISED ON EVE OF THEIR DEPARTURE

Steve Madden and Family Were Unexpected Guests To Their Friends in Fulton Tuesday Night.

Edgerton, March 10.—Steve Madden, having recently sold his farm in the town of Fulton and having had an auction sale on the premises Monday, prepared to move with his family to Edgerton, their old friends and neighbors took the matter in hand and on Tuesday evening marched in on them, sixty or seventy strong, to pay them a farewell party. The participants entered upon the evening's pastime in a joyous manner and passed the hours away at cards, music and dancing and closing with a midnight supper. The Maddens will move to this city shortly, having bought the Henry Wileman property in the first week.

PERSONAL MENTION.

Robert McGillivray of Janesville, was here for several days on matters pertaining to his mother's estate, the late Mrs. Ira Howard, returning to his home today.

W.H. Carpenter of Richland Center, is here for a visit with old friends for a few days.

John Bobb and Jessie Leverton of Whislo, Ill., have been guests of Mr. and Mrs. O. J. Hobb for a few days.

John Hanrahan, having recently sold his farm in Fulton township to Frank Cook, has departed with his family for Irvington, Ala., where they will take up their future home.

Floyd Cook, who for the past year has resided on the Deck Young farm in the town of Porter, has rented the Konyon farm in Alton township and will move there with his family next week.

Mrs. J. J. Leney is ill, suffering with an attack of erysipelas.

Harry, the 10-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Bunker, who is a sufferer with tubercular lung trouble, is again in a serious condition. Although having recently submitted to two operations at the Janesville hospital the relief gained thereby was but temporary and his condition now is more serious than before.

HOTEL ARRIVALS.

Guests registered at the Carlton hotel are: O. D. Antebi, Janesville; H. A. Chapman, Stoughton; J. C. Karchel, Whitewater; F. G. Borden, Milton; J. M. Herzig, Mt. Horeb; J. E. Zahn, Fond du Lac; W. H. Miller, H. S. Sloan, J. A. Poffer, C. W. Redin, P. J. Webs, M. M. Howie, A. B. Chalbick, M. Hormann, Milwaukee; R. C. Schlesinger, St. Louis; L. S. Viekers, Atchison, S. D.; E. L. King, Detroit; Harry M. Butler, Boston; H. C. Byas, Garner, Iowa; W. J. Goad, Marshalltown, Iowa; P. A. Beckford, S. Maginnis, A. H. Lawrence, H. E. Ferry, R. H. Barber, C. W. How, E. H. Turner, Chicago.

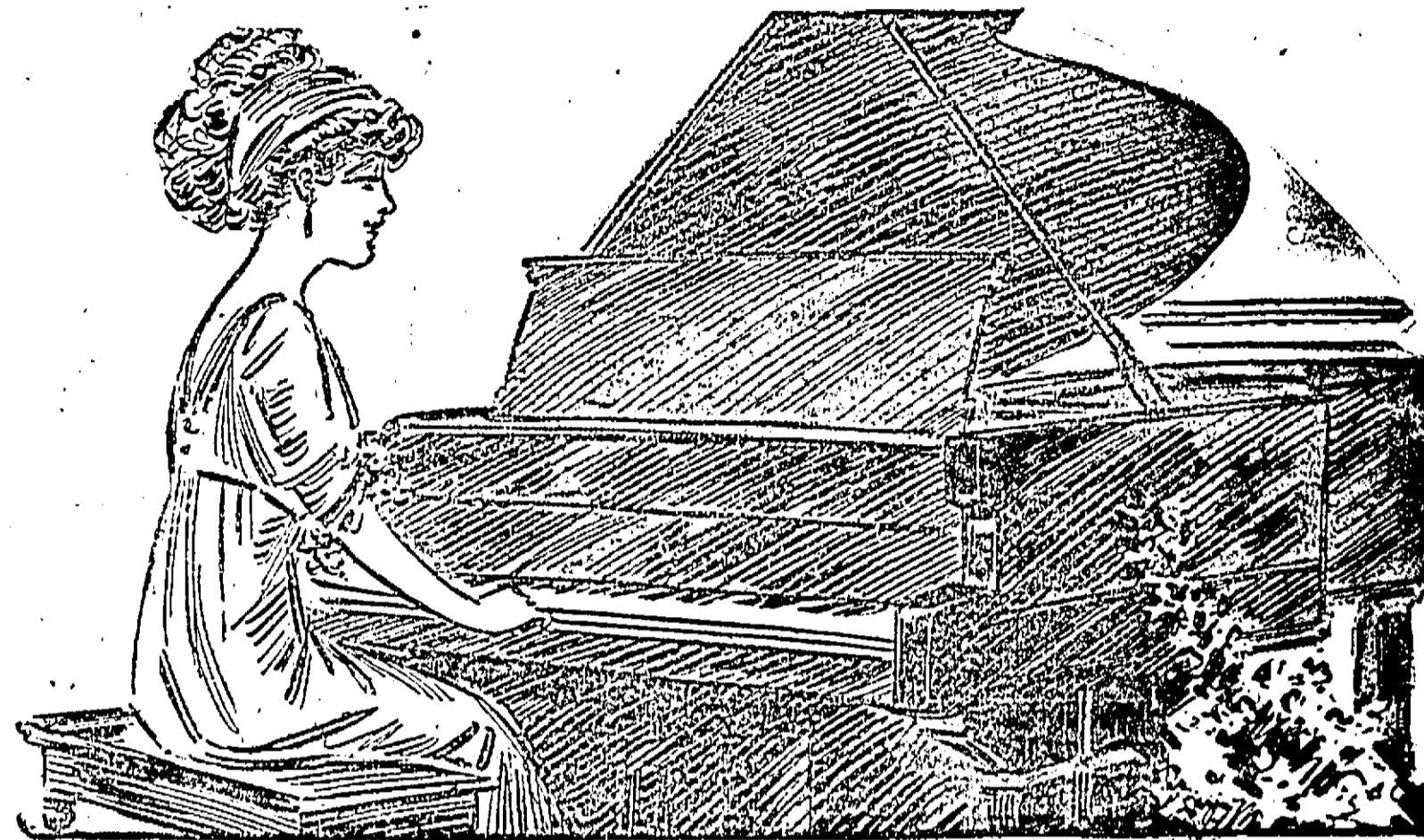
EQUIPPED FOR THE OCCASION.

The following notice was recently to be seen outside a church door in an English village: "The Rev. W. T. — will preach his farewell sermon on Sunday next. The choir will render an anthem of joy and thanksgiving, specially composed for the occasion."

JAP'S ORIGINAL IDEA.

A young Japanese who recently committed suicide by leaping into the crater of the volcano at Asama, left behind him a note, in which he said: "Suffering a feeling of despair impels me to throw myself into the crater of Asama, thus winning a splendid death, and ascending the mountain's smoke to a lofty life above the sky."

The Question ? Whether Or Not to Join the Skavlem Piano Club



The time to start to choose a musical education is now, the time to put music into your home is now, just as the time to live and love and fight, and carry on every purpose and function of life is now and not tomorrow.

A lady came in yesterday to buy a piano. She was undecided. She did not know whether to buy an old, well-known make or join the Skavlem Piano Club.

She was afraid that a good piano could not be sold at the Club price (\$277.50). There must be something wrong with it, else it would not be sold at so low a price.

We showed her all the good points about the piano and explained the club plan the best we could; but still she couldn't see it, and, like some other women, she couldn't be convinced. It wound up by her buying a Baldwin. She paid 5 hundred and 75 dollars for it, 50 dollars cash and 20 dollars a month—though she said that the terms of the Club Piano (5 dollars cash and a dollar and a quarter a week) would have suited her much better just at this time.

Now, we tell this incident because it has a moral; because many more persons may be in the same frame of mind.

The moral of the incident is this: that that lady could have joined the Skavlem Piano Club and if, as she said, the Club terms best suited her just now, she should have done so, and we will tell you why.

She would not have to have taken a chance of any kind in joining the Club.

In the first place, if she had desired it, we would, within 30 days, have given her money back. In the second place, she would have had a whole year to have tried the Club piano. If the year's trial of the piano was not satisfactory she could then have gotten the Baldwin and had all her Club payments transferred to the Baldwin without the loss of a single penny.

In other words, according to our written agreement, she could have joined the Skavlem Piano Club; gotten her piano; paid only 5 dollars down and 1 dollar and 25 cents a week for a whole year (which she said would have best suited her), and at the end of the year gotten a Baldwin, had her Club money transferred to her credit on the Baldwin, and then began her payments of 20 dollars a month. By doing this, don't you see, she would have had a whole year of the easiest kind of payments on the Club plan, had the use of a Club piano a whole year for absolutely nothing and a year hence had a brand new Baldwin in her home instead of one a year old.

See the point?

As we said above, we tell this story, thinking that there might be others in the same frame of mind.

For the convenience of people who cannot come in during the day the store will be open every evening until 10 o'clock.

The Skavlem Club Plan Told In a Few Brief Sentences

- 1—The value of the Skavlem Club Piano is \$375.
- 2—The price to Skavlem Club Members is \$277.50
- 3—The terms are \$5.00 cash when you join, then \$1.25 per week for 218 weeks.
- 4—The piano will be delivered when you join, or later, as you wish.
- 5—The weekly payments of \$1.25 begin when the piano is delivered.
- 6—Every instrument is guaranteed without reserve—for ten years. There are no "ifs" or "ands" in the guarantee—just a straight-out guarantee as strong as we know how to make it in writing.
- 7—if, after 30 days' trial, the piano is not satisfactory, we will give you your money back.
- 8—if the piano is satisfactory after 30 days' use, the club member has eleven more months in which to satisfy himself as to the character of the piano. If it does not then prove to be everything that he expects, he has the privilege of exchanging it without one penny's loss for any other instrument of equal or greater value that we sell—and we sell over thirty different representative makes.
- 9—if a club member dies during the life of his contract we will immediately send a receipt in full to his family for the instrument.
- 10—A beautiful stool and scarf to match the piano is included without extra cost.
- 11—The piano will be tuned twice without charge.
- 12—There is positively no interest added.

L. N. SKAVLEM

Open Evenings Until 10 O'clock.

11 S. Main Street, Janesville, Wis.

SOLE AGENTS FOR THE BALDWIN, HAMILTON, ELLINGTON, HOWARD, VALLEY CEM PIANOS AND PLAYER PIANOS.

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FIRM SHATTERED BY "SANE FOURTH"

Pain Fireworks Company Cannot Meet Debts.

LIABILITIES ARE \$160,000

Directors Say Owner Will Not Come Home and Short Season Does Not Pay Any More.

New York, March 16.—The movement for a "Sane Fourth," generally understood to be a systematic attempt to separate small boys from big fire-crackers, has put the largest manufacturer of fireworks out of business.

The Pain Manufacturing company, a \$50,000 corporation, applied to Supreme Court Justice Guy for leave to dissolve and assigned this reason as cause for the proposal. An order calling upon all persons interested to show cause on May 10 why the company should not be dissolved was signed by the court.

The reason for business of the corporation does not commence until June and runs for several months, the directors state in the application. "The most business is done around and immediately prior to July 4.

"Sane Fourth" Hurts Business.

"But for the past few years, and since the movement for what is commonly termed a "Sane Fourth," has spread over the country, the volume of business done has been so reduced that at present the amount of business the company is able to do is not sufficient to warrant the continuance of business under the belief that the dissolution may be avoided."

The move to dissolve the corporation was made by the majority of the directors, including William J. Hanson, Charles M. Reynolds, Harry Templar and Annette Klefer. Each of these directors holds five of the 500 shares of stock. Henry J. Pain, president of the company, owns 475 shares and James Pain, Jr., has the remaining five shares.

Can't Pay \$211 Judgment.

By a coincidence it happens that a judgment of \$211 recorded last week against the company hastened the move to dissolve. The company could not pay this claim. Then the American Exchange National bank, from whom the company had borrowed \$14,000, asked for additional security, although it had already \$30,000 worth of the Pain company's assets to secure the loan.

Henry J. Pain, whom the petitioners asked to appear in court, is in London, England, and has failed thus far to accept the many urgent invitations for him to come to New York and take personal charge of his business. The directors who ask for the dissolution are the managers and supervisors of his corporation.

The liabilities of the company are said to be \$160,000 and the real estate assets about \$30,000.

ANARCHIST ECHO IN MURDER

Stinie Morrison, Convicted in London, Is Believed Connected With Houndsditch Gang.

London, March 16.—Stinie Morrison was found guilty of the murder of Joseph Beron and sentenced to death. Morrison denied he killed Beron. After the verdict was returned, he exclaimed:

"I am innocent. I do not believe there is a God in Heaven."

The police tried to connect the tragedy with the Houndsditch anarchist burglar gang and the trial was one of the most sensational ever held in London.

The mutilated body of Beron was found on Clapham common early in January. The police theory was that the victim was a member of the Houndsditch crowd, and had been killed for treachery by his associates.

The trial occupied nine days. The evidence was wholly circumstantial.

Patience and the Hungry. Wait is a hard word to the hungry. German Proverb.

SLIGHT DECLINE IN STOCKS SEEN TODAY

By ERIC PAXON.

New York, March 16.—Stocks generally showed fractional concession at the opening today but the tone was steady. The higher price stocks receded about a half point while other issues declined a quarter. Pacific fell about a point.

TODAY'S CHICAGO MARKET

Chicago, March 16.

Cattle receipts, 5,500.
Market, slow.
Beefers, 5,700-6,855.
Cows and heifers, 2,600-5,900.
Steers and feeders, 4,000-5,800.
Calves, 6,250-8,500.

Hogs.
Hog receipts, 21,000.
Market, slow.
Light, 4,900-7,200.
Heavy, 6,600-6,750.
Mixed, 6,750-7,100.
Pigs, 6,600-7,150.
Rough, 6,600-6,750.

Sheep.
Sheep receipts, 11,000.
Market, steady.
Western, 3,250-5,700.
Native, 3,000-3,100.
Lambs, 5,000-6,350.

Wheat.
May—Opening, 91 1/2; high, 91 1/2;
low, 90 1/2; closing, 90 1/2.
July—Opening, 89 1/2; high, 89 1/2;
low, 88 1/2; closing, 88 1/2.

Rye.
Closing—40 1/2.
Barley.
Closing—600 1,000.

Corn.
May—19 1/2.
July—50 1/2.
Oats.
May—31 1/2.
July—31 1/2.

Poultry, Dressed.
Turkeys—dressed, 18.
Hens—live, 11 1/2.
Springers—live, 11 1/2.
Butter.

Creamery—26.
Dairy—21.
Eggs.
Eggs—16 1/2.
Potatoes.

Wheat—35 1/2.
Molasses—35 1/2.

Live Stock.

Chicago, March 16.

CATTLE—Choice to fancy steers, \$2,900.
medium to good steers, \$2,500-2,850; inferior to fair steers, \$2,150-2,300; fat cows and heifers, \$2,500-3,500; native hogs, \$1,600-1,800; feeding cattle, \$1,600-1,800.
SWINE—Choice to fancy hogs and colts, \$1,250.
\$1,250 heavy hogs, \$1,250-1,350; export steers, \$1,250-1,350; hogs and springers, over \$1,000.

HOGS—Heavy butchers, 2,000-2,200.
Barrel hogs, 1,900-2,200.
Barrel light hogs, 1,600-1,900.
Barrel light, 1,500-1,750.
Hog, 16,500-17,700.
heavy shipping, 2,000-2,500.
Hog, 16,500-17,700.
heavy packing, 2,000-2,500.
Hog, 16,500-17,700.
mixed packing, 2,000-2,500.
Hog, 16,500-17,700.
rough, heavy packing, \$2,500-3,500.
Hog, 16,500-17,700.
poor to best, 1,500-2,000.
Hog, 16,500-17,700.

THE JANESEVILLE MARKETS.

Janesville, Wis., March 15, 1911.
Feed.

Bar corn—\$15.
Food corn and oats—\$230-\$24.

Oil meal—\$2.00 per 100 lbs.
Standard middlings—\$210-\$23.

Oats, Hay, Straw.

Oats—31c.

Hay—\$130-\$15.

Straw—\$60-\$7.

Rye and Barley.

Rye—80c.
Barley—75c-\$1.

Poultry Market.

Live fowls are quoted at the local market as follows:

Chickens—10c.
Chickens, dressed, 12 1/2c.

Geese—9c.

Ducks—10c.

Hogs.

Different grades—\$0.50-\$0.75.

Steers and Cows.

Steers and cows—\$1.00-\$1.25.

Sheep—50c.

Mutton—\$2.75-\$4.50.

Lambs—\$2.75-\$4.50.

Butter and Eggs.

Dairy—20c-\$24.

Creamery—26c.

Fresh eggs—11c-\$15.

Potatoes—30c-\$35c.

Elgin Butter Market.

Elgin, Ill., March 15.—Butter firm.

20c; output Elgin district for week, 439,200 lbs.

The Precious Stones.

The pearl is nothing but carbonato of lime, and vinegar or any other acid will eat away the polished surface in a few moments. As for the opal, hot water is fatal to it, destroying its fire, and sometimes causing it to crack. Soap is a deadly enemy to the quartz. If a turquoise ring is kept on the hand while washing, in a short time the blue stones will turn to a dingy green.

Latitude for Criminals.

Criminals in Buenos Ayres who are sentenced to long terms of penal servitude are frequently released on parole for certain hours each day, so that their private business will not suffer.

To Detect Sewer Gas.

The American Analyst gives the following test for the detection in an apartment of sewer gas: Saturate unglazed paper with a solution of one Troy ounce of pure acetate of lead. In eight fluid ounces of rainwater; let it partially dry, then expose in the room suspected of containing sewer gas. The presence of gas in any considerable quantity soon blackens the test paper.

Might Live Forever.

Taking up Henry Ward Beecher's declaration that "Yellow fever is God Almighty's opinion of dirt," a writer says nobody would die if he could keep perfectly clean.

MARYLAND COLLEGE WAS BURNED TODAY

St. Charles College Located at Ellicott City, Md., Was Burned This Afternoon, is Report.

Baltimore, Md., March 16.—St. Charles College, a Catholic institution at Ellicott City having 200 students, burned this afternoon. The details are lacking.

READ THE EAST INDIAN MYSTERY STORY, THE BRONZE BELL.

First chapter starts tomorrow, a thrilling romance of the Orient depicting a brilliant American in an intensely interesting romance.

Never Too Tired.

I never knew a woman quite so weary or worn out, but she would count it absolute delight to stand upon formality.

Are Dead Ones.

Red letter days now become, to all intents and purposes, dead-letter days.—Lamb.

Better Occupation.

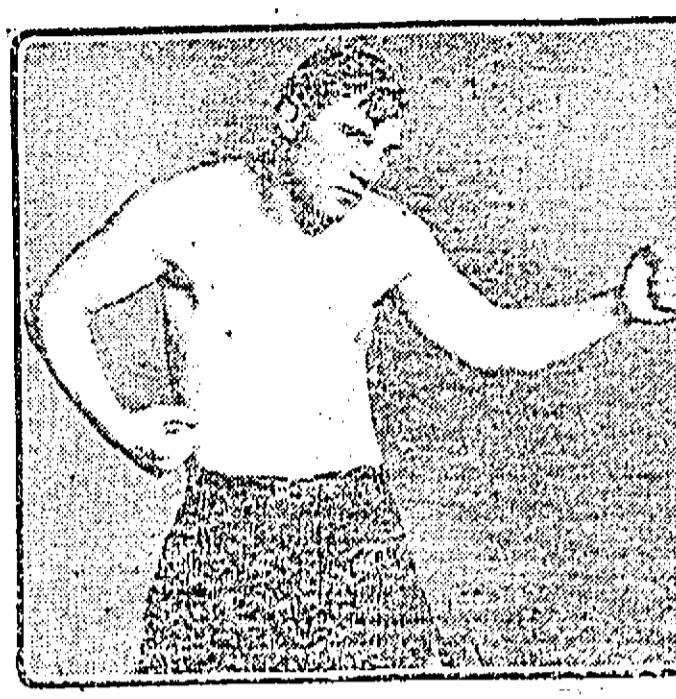
We do not care where the two pages meet and each other's shade above. We worried over it until—but now we're reading instead.



CENTRAL FIGURES AT D. A. R. WAR.

At left, Mrs. Matthew T. Scott. At right, Mrs. William Cumming-Story, Washington, D. C.

Washington, D. C.—The mid-April election of the D. A. R. will be held in this city and is to be hotly contested. Mrs. William Cumming-Story, honorary regent of the state organization of the Daughters in New York, will oppose Mrs. William T. Scott of Bloomington, Ill., the present incumbent, for the presidency.



WHITE MAN'S HOPE WHO MEETS BILL LANG APRIL 16.

San Francisco, Cal.—Jack Lester, the "white man's hope" of the northwest, arrived yesterday en route to Australia, where he is expected to make two, whose names I have not yet learned. His first great stand against Bill Lang on April 16, Lester was met, introduced and charmed by John Gandy, the old-time courting judge and sportsman, who looks upon this youth as the coming heavyweight champion of the world.

The youngster, for he's nothing more, is a Tom Sharkey the second in height, build and general appearance. Judged from a quick glance, Lester possesses all the requirements of a heavyweight idol.

Lester is not yet 20 years of age, yet he has something like 40 knockouts to his credit. Ever since he was a schoolboy the Washington giant has been dazzling with the mite and has fought many times with his bare fists. The main art of self-defense has been his hobby ever since he was able to strike a boxing pose and he doesn't know what defeat signifies.

I am being guided by Tommy Burns," says Lester. "He took hold of me a few months ago and showed me a lot about the game. When it was killed off up north, Burns advised me to go to Australia and take on the best of them there. I was only too willing to get the chance, so I am on my way though I would have much preferred to make my start here."

"I believe that I can best Lang or any of the other Australians that they send me in against. Burns thinks so, and I am taking his advice. If I did not look for an even break I certainly

will not sell the land within the next week or ten days. He would have accompanied Lester, but for the fact that he has a couple of lawsuits on his hands and he wants to have them decided one way or the other before taking the long trip.

NOTICE OF ELECTION

STATE OF WISCONSIN.

County of Rock.

Notice is hereby given, that a judicial election is to be held in the several towns, wards, villages and election districts in the County of Rock, and State of Wisconsin, on the first Tuesday in April, A. D., 1911, being the fourth day of said month, the following officers are to be elected:

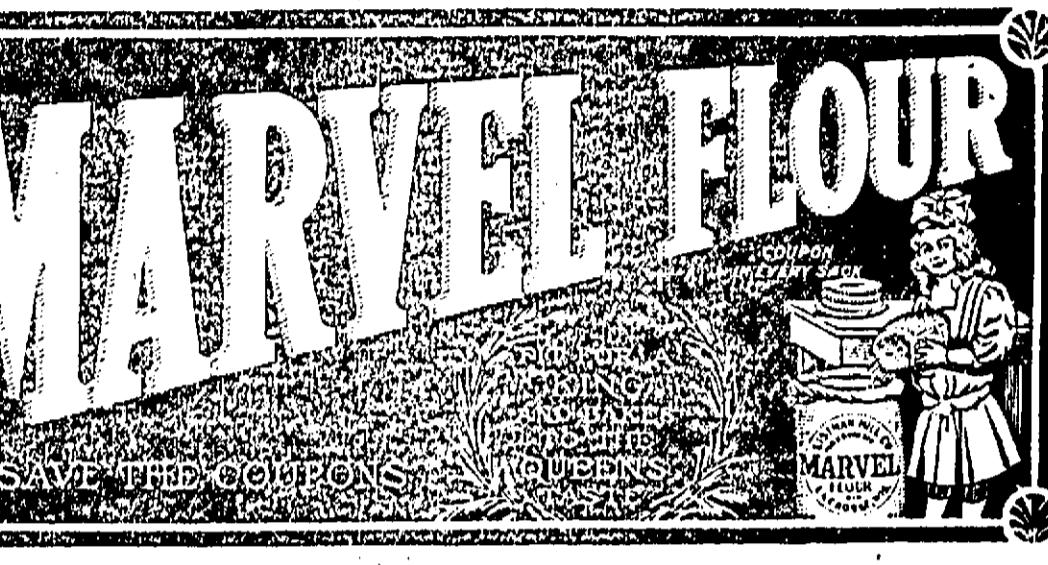
A Supreme Justice to succeed And J. Vinje, appointed to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of J. E. Dodge and whose term of office will expire on the first Monday of January, 1912.

A Judge for the Municipal Court at Janesville in place of Charles L. Eifel, whose term of office will expire on the last Monday of June, 1911.

A County Superintendent of Schools for Rock County, to succeed O. D. Antisell, whose term of office expires July 1, 1911.

Said election shall be held and conducted, votes canvassed, and returns made in accordance with law. Given under my hand and official seal at the Court House in the City of Janesville, this 16th day of March, A. D., 1911.

(Seal) HOWARD W. LEE, County Clerk



GET MARVEL FROM YOUR GROCER

THE FOLLOWING GROCERS HAVE IT:

W. W. NASH
WILBUR & CO.
O. D. BATES
JOHN H. JONES
A. C. CAMPBELL
E. N. FREDENDALL

L. J. BUGGS
R. H. PICKERING
J. T. SHIELDS
BAUMANN BROS.
E. R. WINSLOW
J. T. FITCH

SKELLY GROCERY CO.
TAYLOR BROS.
C. N. VAN KIRK
CHAS. B. ROHERTY
JAS. R. SHELDON & CO.

THE BRONZE BELL

By Louis Joseph Vance
Begins in The Gazette Friday, March 17th

FURNITURE

PUTNAM'S 20TH YEAR

Anniversary Sale

TWENTY years ago this month this store was thrown open to the people of Rock County for business and by careful attention to all details and by offering only dependable Furniture and Crockery, from the best furniture manufacturers and crockery from the best potteries in America, France, England and Germany, it has grown to be one of the largest and most popular merchandise Houses in Southern Wisconsin.

This Store is Winning New Friends All the Time

Careful buyers have been taught by sheer force of values and qualities that it pays to buy here. The good things in this store are not spasmodic. You will find them here every business day in the year. We would count that day lost on which we could not show some improvement, some advancement that will help to serve you better than any store in this locality.

So much for the store policy. Now to call your attention to a few special offerings below:

CHALLENGE SALE PRICES—SOLID OAK DRESSERS

LOT 1—OAK DRESSER WORTH \$8.50	\$6.00	LOT 7—OAK DRESSER WORTH \$20.00	\$15.00
LOT 2—OAK DRESSER WORTH \$10.00	\$8.00	LOT 8—MAHOGANY PRINCESS DRESSER, WORTH \$22.00	\$15.00
LOT 3—OAK DRESSER WORTH \$12.00	\$9.50	LOT 9—BIRDSEYE DRESSER, WORTH \$35.00	\$25.00
LOT 4—OAK DRESSER WORTH \$12.50	\$9.75	LOT 10—MAHOGANY DRESSER, WORTH \$35.00	\$25.00
LOT 5—OAK DRESSER WORTH \$17.00	\$12.50	LOT 11—OAK DRESSER, WORTH \$35.00	\$25.00
LOT 6—OAK DRESSER WORTH \$18.00	\$13.75	LOT 12—OAK DRESSER WORTH \$50.00	\$35.00

This is not a Clearance Sale or Manufacturers Surplus Sale, but a sale of new Dressers bought from the right factory at the very lowest prices. All of the above dressers are fitted with French Bevel Mirror plates.

We are showing a large line of specially priced Rockers and Diners for this sale, from \$2.00 to \$10.00, that are worth from 25% to 33 1/3% more.

Anniversary Sale of Dining Room Table \$12.00 worth \$20.00

This table is only one of the many wonderful offerings this store is showing. This table is made of selected white quarter sawed oak, polished finish, large top, 8 ft. length. Sale price \$12.00 while they last, worth \$20.00 in any store.

Chas. S. Putnam
JANESVILLE, WIS.

HOUSE--BETTER GOODS, BETTER PRICES

I heavily and was compelled to withdraw from the state of
ons of their goods and prices. The recent issue of the Gazette
yond any question of a doubt that goods are of the poorest
comparisons where the prices are lower than the same goods are quoted in catalogs.

and a hundred other good arguments. You who send your money to catalog houses before you get your goods, y must be at the price. The groceries often are impure, the furniture is imitation of what your neighbor buys
ods on all sides if you buy mail order stuff. Does this condition satisfy you? Do you want to send dollars in
oods, and do your part towards making Janesville a bigger and better city. Do you want the pleasures of life
Millionaire reap the profits? Do the mail order house owners use their own stuff? No, sir, not by a jug full.

Sheets and Pillow Cases

Full double bed size Sheets, good stout muslin, properly hemmed and finished. Priced at less than goods by the yard cost, each 50c

Regulation size Pillow Cases, made of good serviceable full bleached muslin, properly hemmed and finished, guaranteed perfect. Special this week only, each 10c

Bed Spreads

Hemmed, fringed or scalloped Spreads, full sized, good quality, good patterns. New spring line just in, all at very tempting figures.

HOLME'S

What Makes a Cream Separator Good Or Bad?

It takes something besides cast iron, red paint and hot air to make a separator that will skim milk clean twice a day, 365 days in the year, for 15 or 20 years.

If some of the farmers who are thinking of buying a cream separator this season and have been half persuaded by extravagant advertising to "save one-third the cost" by buying a machine of the "just-as-good-as-the-DE LAVAL" or the "mail order" kind, could only listen to the experience of a few of the thousands of the users of such machines who have traded them in for DE LAVALS during the past year, they would be forcibly reminded of the old adage which runs, "Save at the spout and waste at the bung-hole."

Before you decide on the purchase of a separator be sure to see and try a DE LAVAL.

It will be only a question of time anyway before you get a DE LAVAL, so why not save yourself a lot of costly separator experience by starting right with a DE LAVAL?

H. L. McNamara

IF IT IS GOOD HARDWARE McNAMARA HAS IT

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BAILEY & CO.

We make a specialty of Quantity Business at Cash Prices

better, broader than ever
ete and comprehensive
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D SUITS

Our Suits have that appearance of refinement that are of smartness and good taste which mark the well-dressed woman. You must have at least one new Tailored Suit. Our Suits range from \$15.00 to \$35.00. All the handsome new designs with the hip length Coat and the seat Skirt, also those of the medium width.

Suits of the severely tailored style—others of a more dressy character with low side closings—with trimmings of plain satin, Persian effects, fancy braids and handsome buttons—in all the new spring shades.

These excellent values are sure to satisfy the most critical tastes.

Waists and Dresses

Styles designed to meet all requirements of street, outing, afternoon, evening, theatre and party wear. The fit and finish unexcelled—workmanship highest class, and prices always the lowest. Waists in chiffon, marquisette, muslin, and taffeta, from \$3.50 to \$8.00. Tailored Waists, \$1.00 to \$3.50. Silk Dresses, \$12.50 to \$25.00. Lingerie Dresses, \$3.00 to \$18.00. Gingham Dresses, \$2.00 to \$7.50.

SON, Successors to Bort, Bailey & Co.

New Spring Millinery

Our stocks are gradually nearing completion and we'll be ready with a Spring opening in a short period. Watch for our opening announcement

Hair Goods of First Quality.

MRS. C. A. O'BRIEN,
Fine Millinery,
309 W. Milwaukee St.

The Best Olive Oil Is guaranteed Pure

A comparison with any other will convince you that ours is the best. It is clear as crystal and almost tasteless except for a slight nutty flavor.

Try a bottle the next time or telephone us and we will send it up.

One-half pints, 25c. Pints, 50c. Quarts, 80c.

SMITH'S PHARMACY

The Rexall Store.
Kodaks and Kodak Supplies.

Gasoline Engines

Windmills, Pumps,
Tanks and Everything
for the Farm

Our prices are consistent with but a fair profit and we're here to back up the goods after we deliver them and this guarantee means much to you as you well know if you have ever purchased anything from a Mail Order House and tried to get your money back because the goods weren't satisfactory.

A postal, phone or personal call will get you all information about our goods.

F. B. Burton

Successor to Burton & Bleasdale
11-13 N. JACKSON ST.
Both Phones.

PAINTS & VARNISHES

We want every housewife to know that for every surface, outside and inside of her home, there is a special paint, varnish, stain or enamel; that the selection of the right treatment for each surface is vital to durability as well as pleasing effects, and that The Sherwin-Williams Co., whom we represent, have devoted forty years to the study of surface treatments and the making of paints and varnishes best suited to each.

Have a Paint Talk with Us

The woman who wants a home that is artistic and up-to-date in every way, should come in and have a paint talk with us. We will be glad to tell her of the possibilities of paint and varnish in beautifying and preserving every surface in and about the home, and how to treat each room so as to secure pleasing and harmonious results.



People's Drug Store

This Is The High Quality Piano Store and Headquarters for Low Prices

Because this is the leading piano store is no reason why buyers of limited means should hesitate to come here. We do receive the patronage of those who will be satisfied with none but the costliest instruments, yet it is a fact that we specialize in supplying the wants of those who need to buy economically. For such we offer advantages not to be had elsewhere. Some of our finest displays are Medium Priced and Low Priced pianos, sold on terms so simple that even wage earners find it no hardship to buy.

Prominent Churchman Praises Pianos of the "Player" Type

Reasons Why One of Our Inner-Player Pianos Should Be in Every Home.

The importance of pianos of the "player" type was the subject of an address delivered recently by Rev. W. A. Bartlett before the Providence Convention of the Religious Education Association. Among other things Dr. Bartlett said:

"The player piano has opened up to the world of music lovers the works of the great masters. Many a youth has become a virtuoso in the interpretation of the most difficult and beautiful compositions of Chopin, who could hardly pick out a simple melody with one finger, but who longed for years to hear the best music. Only a few artists are able to play a wide repertory of music. But we cannot secure them to come into our homes; and even if we could, they would play only such selections as had been recently practiced. The concert or recital means considerable expense, late nights or an afternoon performance which few can attend. And then the selections played are those chosen by the performer and not the listener."

"The player piano becomes the home educator. I have taken children to hear a great performer, and as he played Walter's 'Prize Song' they turned to me smilingly and whispered, 'We play that at home.'

"Ever leading performers are appreciating the value of these instruments. It is no more mechanical than the pipe organ, and by careful study and practice there can be an almost perfect reproduction of human touch and expression. No parent need feel anxious about the boys and girls at night, when they are playing the piano with their friends around them."

"Bagtime pieces and light music will do as a diversion, but I have known young people to turn from them to Schubert, Schumann, Wagner, Mendelssohn and other great composers. Place the best before them and they will learn to love it."

Do not these words suggest that you could make your home more complete, more cheery with one of our INNER-PLAYER Pianos?

You may not have children to educate but you need a source of entertainment for yourself and friends. And there is nothing better than music—and nothing which makes it easier to have than an INNER-PLAYER Piano.

Our remarkable Inner-Player mechanism has eliminated drudgery of piano practice. You no longer have to train your fingers to manipulate the keyboard. The Inner-Player does the work and yet the musical results are entirely under your control. You can play with correct expression.

Visit our salesrooms and we will show you these pianos and the operation of this device which enables you to play any composition. You can make your choice from many designs in the Inner-Player Piano.

If you have a piano we will accept it as part payment and arrange easy terms for the balance due.

All the latest Sheet Music.

Wisconsin Music Company

pianos of Quality

H. B. HUGHES, Mgr.

119 W. Milwaukee Street

O.D.BATES

NO. 40 S. MAIN ST.

Why patronize the Mail Order House and submit to the annoyance and delay in getting your Groceries when you can step to your phone and give me your order, knowing at the time that the goods you will receive will be first class in every respect. I buy only the best goods and when you give me your order you are certain of getting the best the market affords.

Quality considered I will meet any price which the Mail Order House makes you and give you the privilege of selecting your goods before you spend your money. I shall be pleased to serve you. My prices are right and my service will please you.

THE GOLDEN EAGLE

Wishes to announce to the people of Rock County that their spring lines of Clothing and Shoes are now ready for inspection. Stocks are larger than ever before, and we invite a comparison of prices.

Closing Out Sale of The Savings Store

Bargains—Big Bargains—grace every counter and table in the store. Goods are going fast. Get your share yet? It's high time that you were. These bargains can't last always and won't. Present prices stop with present lots. Better come down tomorrow. We quote a few prices, just a few. There are hundreds of others. Mail Order Houses nor anyone else can compete with these prices.

10c POTATO MASHERS	5c
10c STOVE LIFTERS	5c
10c CHOPPING KNIVES	5c
5c TEAPOT STANDS, 2 FOR	5c
10c BIRD CAGE SPRING AND CHAIN	5c
10c PARING KNIVES	5c
BRASS SHOULDERED SCREW HOOKS, DOZ.	5c
GATE HOOKS, EACH	1c
10c EMERY KNIFE SHARPENERS	5c
30c WHITEWASH BRUSHES	20c
EGG BEATERS, EACH	1c
5c NUTMEG GRATERS, EACH	2c
10c FLUOR STOP	5c
5c WIRE SOAP STANDS, EACH	2c
10c WIRE TOASTERS	5c
10c TOWEL RACKS	5c
5c ICE PICKS	3c
5c GLASS LEMON SQUEEZERS	3c
10c CREAM PITCHERS	5c
10c BREAD AND BUTTER PLATES	5c
10c MUSTARD CUPS AND SPOONS	5c
10c TOOTHPICK HOLDERS	5c
25c MUGS	10c
25c SPOON HOLDERS	10c
10c CUPS AND SAUCERS	8c
10c CHINA MATCH SAFES	5c
HAND LAMPS COMPLETE	17c

Deliveries will be made to any address in the city without extra charge.

SKELLY GROCERY CO.

Proprietors of The Savings Store.

11-13 S. JACKSON ST.

BOTH PHONES.

CALIFORNIA, LAND OF THE BOOSTER

LETTER FROM ULYSSES G. WAITE
WHO IS AT RIVERSIDE,
THAT STATE.

CLIMATE MAIN FEATURE

Every Town Has Its Boosters Organization—Description of Beautiful Scenic and Climatic Conditions, *[SPECIAL TO THE GAZETTE.]*

Riverside, Cal., March 10.—One thing that impresses the visitor to the Pacific coast, is the progressive spirit everywhere in evidence. Every town that aspires to a position "on the map"—and I have yet to find one that does not—has its organized body of boosters, and this organization leaves no stone unturned to boost, either the city, or the county, or both. This energetic and wideawake body of business men may be denominated a board of trade, chamber of commerce, commercial club, business men's association, push club, development company, opportunity association, or it may be the county board of supervisors, working through the clerk of the board, or an immigration commissioner. No matter what the designation or the location, they are all bound from and that, too, with a frequency that prohibits forgetfulness, and an originality that challenges attention.

In the current number of one of the leading magazines published on this coast, I counted twenty advertisements telling of the advantages of various counties, where the supervisors had turned boosters and were handing out alluring descriptions of climate, never failing water supply, unparalleled opportunities for success, and the iridescent future of that particular county. In this same magazine, I discovered twenty-eight other advertisements of the booster variety, in which that many cities and towns were held up as containing all the elements that bring success to would-be settlers, and urging the tourist, the homeseker, the capitalist and the urban to come right there and hang up his hat. Those cities and counties were scattered all the way from the Canadian line to the Mexican border, and even one county over in the tempestuous south of Diaz was represented by a full page ad.

Now I am calling attention to all this to show how readily these people recognize the value of generous advertising. They avail of themselves of every opportunity to parade their productions, water supply, commercial advantages, irrigation facilities, and marvelous climate. Here in Southern California this latter feature is perhaps the most valuable asset, and one that all the communities and localities have in common. Personally I consider it the one big thing and the only thing that would ever tempt me away from the unrivaled Rock River valley.

Why, talk about productions and business! Splendid old Rock county with her corn, and oats, and rye, and barley, and tobacco, and sugar beets, and milk, and butter, and eggs, and high grade live stock, and commanding farm buildings has got this whole section beaten to a frazzled out frazzle and don't any of you readers of the Gazette forget it, not for a minute. Outside of Los Angeles, there are more manufacturing enterprises in the cities of Janesville and Beloit than in all the other cities of this entire belt combined. Take such towns as Riverside, and Redlands, and Pomona, and Pasadena, and Long Beach. There is not, so far as I have ascertained, one manufacturing enterprise in any of them that approaches the Janesville Machine company in size, value of products, or scope of influence. I did not mention San Bernardino in the above list, because that city is fortunate in being the location of the great Santa Fe railway shops employing about 1,500 men, and this big enterprise gives that old town more of an eastern atmosphere than can be found in any other city of like class in this section. I will not hold San Bernardino up as the city par excellence, however, for it stands alone in the granting of license to sell intoxicating liquors as a beverage. For be it known that in this corner of the land the principle of no license is firmly entrenched in a decided majority of these smaller cities, and, as a result, they make pleasant places of residence with numerous churches, good schools, handsome homes, and excellent libraries.

So if you are well to do and can stand a good pull on the purse strings, by all means spend your winters in some of these clean, residential towns. Or if you are constrained to live from the rigors of the old fashioned winter by reason of physical weakness, come where the birds come not to sing their roundelay; where the breath of December rests on your cheek like the rose scented gloe of June; where you walk by hedgerows of flowing geraniums as high as your head on Christmas day; where you stand forth under skies that rival anything bearing the Italian brand, and where you wander in midwinter through the richly fruited groves of hesperides, lost in wonder and admiration at the amazing environment.

But,—unless you are wealthy or wheezy,—just take my advice and stay where you are. I was much interested in what Fred D. Hutchinson wrote to the Gazette from Fresno and I can heartily endorse all that he says regarding work, the chances of securing a position, and the necessity of having a pocket full of money when one leaves the old home. I consider that I have been long enough on the coast to warrant an acquaintance in the remark of the old Long Beach philosopher. During a conversation regarding the advantages of this section, climate was mentioned, and the old man gravity said,—"Climate? now you've said all there is to say."

ULYSSES G. WAITE.

MONROE MILK COMPANY ISSUED CONTRACT PRICES

To Their Patrons for Milk to Be Received Within the Next Six Months.

[BY UNITED PRESS.]

Monroe, March 16.—Contract prices submitted by Borden's Condensed Milk company for the next six months, beginning with April, to its patrons yesterday, average \$1.21 1/2, the same as for the corresponding months last year, being 15 cents lower for April and 10 cents lower for May, though 10 cents higher for July and August, and 5 cents higher for September. The contract prices follow: April, \$1.25; May, \$1.05; June, \$1.00; July, \$1.20; August, \$1.35; September, \$1.40.

The patrons are well satisfied with the prices and all signed the contracts, assuring good prospects for all the milk the company will need and possibly more.

Congestion in Schools.

The board of education is considering the matter of relieving the congested conditions in the first, second, third and fourth grades of the schools here, especially the overcrowded condition of the latter two. A special meeting will be called soon to devise ways and means for providing more ample accommodations.

Mrs. C. A. Lytle is spending several days in Chicago.

Mrs. James Leehey.

The remains of Mrs. James Leehey of Houghton, Mich., arrived here today over the Milwaukee road, and were taken to the home of her son, J. H. Leehey. She was 77 years of age and for many years made her home with her daughter, Mrs. Kittle Whitney, in Houghton. Six children survive, as follows: Mrs. Nellie Thornton, Roswell, N. M.; Mrs. Madge Fields, Chillicothe, Mo.; Mrs. Kittle Whitney, and Mrs. Jennie Shields, Houghton, Mich., and James Leehey of Chicago, and John Leehey of this city. Funeral arrangements have not been made.

Personal.

Mrs. Abel Grossberg, who has been patient in the Henderson hospital in Janesville for several weeks, returned to her home in Brownstown.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis H. Kohl and daughter, Elizabeth, returned last evening from a visit to E. J. Kohl and family in Janesville.

A good recipe: To make women beautiful, graceful and charming, drink A. B. C. Family Tea before retiring. 25¢ a package.

Kinds of West.

The numerous kinds of west of which the offshoot east solemnly discourses are enough to baffle a Philadelphia lawyer. It will assure you that besides "the middle west," a phrase it employs continually and with evident pleasure, there are an eastern west, a western west, a northern west and a southern west! Yet there is only one east, and hardly enough of that to swear by.—The Californian.

A Great Character.

A great character, founded on the living rock of principle, is, in fact, not a solitary phenomenon, to be at once perceived, limited and described. It is a dispensation of Providence, designed to have not merely an immediate, but a continuous, progressive, never-ending agency. It survives the man who possessed it; survives his age—and perhaps his country, his language.—Edward Everett.

MILTON FARMHOUSE BURNED YESTERDAY

Small House On Farm of L. S. Borden Southeast of Milton, Was Lost in Flames.

[SPECIAL TO THE GAZETTE.]

Milton, March 16.—The farm house of the L. S. Borden farm, one mile southeast of this village, was burned yesterday. The event, H. H. Hulme lost most all of his household goods. The house was insured in the Harmony Mutual Co., and the loss thereon will be small as the building was old and rather small. The fact that the gale was blowing and the distance from the village, prevented the local fire department from being of service.

To Return Soon.

Late reports from Rochester, Minn., indicate that W. R. Cleland will return home in a few days. The physician removed only a small part of his tongue in the last operation and give it as their opinion that all of the cancerous growth has been removed and think he will have no more trouble from that disease.

This is certainly good news for Cleland's many friends to hear.

Mrs. and Mrs. Muehler of Tommawhaw, are guests of Milton friends.

Saves

Breakfast

Worry—

A package of

Post

Toasties

on the pantry shelf.

Served in a minute

With cream or stewed fruit.

DELICIOUS!

SATISFYING!

"The Memory Lingers"

—

K. W. SHIPMAN.

Osteopathic Physician.

402 JACKMAN BLOCK.

Phone, New 224 Block.

Office hours: 9 to 12 a. m., 2 to 5 p. m.

FOURTEEN CASES IN JUDGE SALE'S COURT

Small Number of Probate Cases To Come Before County Court in Special Term.

The county court will convene for a special term on the 21st of this month. There are fourteen cases on the calendar for this term which is, as yet, the same as for the corresponding months last year, being 15 cents lower for April and 10 cents lower for May, though 10 cents higher for July and August, and 5 cents higher for September. The contract prices follow: April, \$1.25; May, \$1.05; June, \$1.00; July, \$1.20; August, \$1.35; September, \$1.40.

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You have not really tried to rent your house until you have used a want ad

WANTED—Miscellaneous.

WANTED—Plow to work on farm, \$25. 8
26. Inquire 215 Main St. 3-31.

WANTED—Black, 30 ft. long. Inquire 215 Main St. 3-31.

WANTED—Infant, small boy, and girl, clothes. Address "Sewing" 3-31.

WANTED—We have some very good farm lands listed with us. If you need help see Williams & Bodey. 3-31.

WANTED—Plow, showman's 3 to 8 feet long. Also for rent one 40x120 ft. with elevator service. Blackford Mfg. & Supply Co. 3-31.

WANTED—Carpenter alteration and repair work. First class work done and promptly. Attended to reasonable prices. 3-31.

WANTED—Men's Garage, 1119 Roger Ave., Old phone 1811. 3-31.

WANTED—To buy city horse, livery horse, must be perfectly gentle. B. D. Wixom, 623 S Main St. 3-31.

WANTED—Female Help.

WANTED—Competent girl for general house work. 214 S Main St. 3-31.

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WANTED—Girl to work in kitchen. 161 London. 3-31.

WANTED—Second cook at European Hotel. 3-31.

WANTED—Male Help.

WANTED—An experienced shipping clerk. Must be recommended. Apply in person. Calvin's Banking Co. 3-31.

FOR RENT.

FOR RENT—Lancaster, G. A. Sanderson property, corner Third and Elm Sts., Room 106, office and wagon. Inquire at Bowes City Bank. 3-31.

FOR RENT—Room, Building at 117 Dodge St., Milwaukee post office. Inquire at independent office. 3-31.

FOR RENT—Six room house 23 S Elm St. 3-31.

FOR RENT—Rooms over Tarrant & Co. store, 1117 N. 1st, 205 Jackson. 3-31.

FOR RENT—New house with a good large porch suitable for a small family at 18 S Elm St. 3-31.

FOR RENT—Two houses in good repair, four rooms; one live room. Gas, heat and soft water. Inquire Geo. S. Wright. 3-31.

FORTY YEARS AGO

The Janesville Gazette, March 16, 1871.—

Burglary.

The house of Mr. W. S. Bennett, who resides on River street in the Fourth ward, was entered by burglars, between the hours and eight and ten last evening while the members of the family were absent. Between forty and fifty dollars worth of jewelry were stolen. The thief or thieves gained access to the building through a window and did not disturb anything besides the articles taken.

A Minister Punished.

Last evening the residence of the Rev. J. Fisher in this city was forcibly entered about eight o'clock by a crowd of about eighty or a hundred persons, each being armed with a rifle with which they proceeded to pound the reverend gentleman who offered no effectual resistance. After remaining upon his premises in

the evening the party descended, leaving their weapons behind them, which, upon examination, were found to be parcels, groceries, dry goods and so forth, done up in pounds. Mr. Fisher does not intend to take any steps towards punishing the perpetrators of the deed.

Brick Items.

The ham and eggs season has arrived.

Cooling showers have prevailed to-day.

Baseball is cropping out, but the sport does not promise as favorably for the coming season as during the past.

Our citizens will be gratified that the wooden building in front of the court house has been sold—another landmark gone.

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WOMAN'S PAGE

To Our Women Readers.

IT IS VERY evident that the women readers of the Gazette are interested in seeing this paper made the best possible medium for information that can be. Last Saturday the Gazette first published in this space a request to the women readers to express their views on the subject and so much interest has been displayed that it has been decided to increase the prizes to four, making the first prize a Caloric Fireless Cookstove.

The letters received thus far have been full of excellent suggestions as to the making of this page, and even other pages in the paper, more pleasing to the readers. There has been some confusion, however, owing to the list of subjects which were printed. The writers of the articles do not need to confine themselves to the subjects suggested, but can write on any phase of the paper's make-up that they may desire. The list is given merely to suggest a topic for you to write on.

Remember that each article must be plainly written on one side of the paper only and confined to about one hundred words. They must be in the Gazette office by April 1, and should be addressed to the "Feature Editor." If mailed, a two-cent stamp should be placed on the envelope to insure prompt delivery.

The Gazette is anxious to obtain your views on the subject of making its columns more interesting to you and all other women readers, so do not hesitate to express your individual opinions. The Gazette wants you to take a special interest in the paper you read daily by helping to make it more interesting.

Remember the prizes offered for the best four articles on this subject.

FIRST PRIZE—CALORIC FIRELESS COOKSTOVE.
SECOND PRIZE—\$5.00 IN MONEY.
THIRD PRIZE—\$3.00 IN MONEY.
FOURTH PRIZE—\$2.00 IN MONEY.

Have your answers in the Gazette office as early as possible and not later than April 1.

The Evening Chit-Chat

By RUTH CAMERON.

WITH the approach of the magic twenty-first that gives us the right to consider winter over, whatever the thermometer may try to tell us, our minds turn, as a sunflower toward the sun, toward the new season, summer clothes, summer food and summer fun, and, of course, summer vacations replace our winter thoughts.

It seems to me that to a great many young people who are not fortunate enough to have summer homes the summer vacation is a decided problem. Especially to those of us who have very tired minds and bodies, a

scant two weeks to rest them in for the next fifty weeks of strain, and pathetically slender purses with which to accomplish this miracle.

We MUST have rest. We WANT fun and a jolly time. And we simply CAN'T spend a great deal of money.

What then are we going to do with these two weeks?

Now, why can't we help each other?

Why can't you people write and tell me of some especially unique and interesting or restful vacation which you, a girl of moderate means, have taken and let me pass the idea on to your sisters?

I know two girls who have a rather unique excursion for this summer. One of them owns a horse and carriage, and so, instead of spending a lot of money for board in some fashionable summering place, they are going to put a few simple clothes and a few good books in a suit case, and with these and the spirit of adventure and determination to have a good time which is indispensable for any good vacation, fare forth some fine June morning on a two weeks' driving trip.

They have planned a trip which will take them through some beautiful country. They will stop occasionally at friends' homes and spend the other nights at country inns.

Have you ever taken or are you planning some such unique little trip?

If you have, tell us about it.

Or tell us about the best vacation you ever had and what feature made it so.

It may be some feature that others could incorporate into their vacations.

I don't want you to write over two hundred words, but I do want you, if you can possibly think of some good vacation idea to share, to consider the fun you got out of it an obligation to pass it on.

bad. Human nature is inherently good. All the attributes of human character are essentially good. It is only after intelligence or the powers of observation are awakened that the conflict between right and wrong begins.

It is possible for every one, even though he may have done wrong, to turn about and seek only the right. The world more often forgives the sinner, though it may not forget the sin, than it is given credit for. The only requirement is that one turn entirely from wrongdoing.

Right and Wrong are like two horses starting from a certain point to travel over diverging roads while keeping an identical pace. The longer they travel the further apart they go, and they never, therefore, arrive at a mutual meeting point. In a circuit one bound to see an equestrian accomplishing the feat of riding on two horses at the same time. That is, by keeping the animals close together and resting a foot on the back of each, but the human being has never been found who could successfully ride Right and Wrong.

Consequently, the man who seeks a compromise with wrong faces sure defeat. He is attempting the impossible. There are many other improbable things he may accomplish, but compromise with wrong is impossible of accomplishment.

Katherine Kip

For Mothers.

Don't forget that you are, or ought to be, your children's ideal of all that is perfection, and that it is your duty to live up to their ideals in every possible way. Not in every task, but wonderfully inspiring.

Money.

"Money," said Uncle Eben, "hub wings, but it depends on circumstances whether it acts like an eagle or a goose."—Washington Star.

Hired Bridesmaid.

A woman in Paris has established an agency for supplying bridesmaids to young women who need such attendants and who have no friends. Each girl receives five dollars for each time she acts as bridesmaid. If the bride wishes her maid to appear in new clothes who has to buy the apparel herself.

Origin of Title of "Colonel."

The title "colonel" comes from a word signifying a column. The colonel was so called because he led or commanded the column.

Its Object Attained.

A Cincinnati widow opened a matrimonial agency and married the first man who applied. The concern is now closed.

Advertising Sandwich-Man.

Advertising through the medium of the sandwich man was known in Florence, Italy, as early as 1846. To-day he is an often-seen figure in all large cities.

Does Your Back Ache?

If you are a woman and you have this symptom get Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound without delay.

Backache seems an invention of the evil one to try woman's souls. Only those who suffer this way can understand the wearing, ceaseless misery.

We ask all such women to read the following letter for proof that Mrs. Pinkham's medicine cures backache caused by woman's diseases.

Morton's Gap, Kentucky.—"I suffered two years with female disorders, my health was very bad and I had a continual backache which was simply awful. I could not stand on my feet long enough to cook a meal's vegetables without my back nearly killing me, and I would have such dragging sensations I could hardly bear it. I had soreness on each side, could not stand tight clothing, and was irregular. I was completely run down. On advice I took Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and Liver Pills and am enjoying good health. It is now more than two years and I have not had an ache or pain since. I do all my own work, washing and everything, and never have the backache any more. I think your medicine is grand and I praise it to all my neighbors. If you think my testimony will help of you may publish it."—Mrs. Ollie Woodall, Morton's Gap, Kentucky.

Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound has made thousands of cures of such cases. You notice we say has cured thousands of cases. That means that we are telling you that it has done, not what we think it will do. We are stating facts, not guesses.

We challenge the world to name another remedy for woman's ills which has been so successful or received so many testimonials as has Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

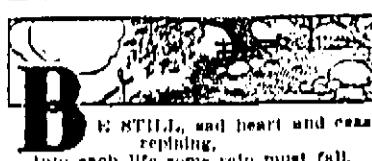
For 30 years Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound has been the standard remedy for female ills. No sick woman does justice to herself who will not try this famous medicine. Made exclusively from roots and herbs, and has thousands of cures to its credit.

Mrs. Pinkham invites all sick women to write her for advice. She has guided thousands to health free of charge. Address Mrs. Pinkham, Lynn, Mass.

No child ever came into the world

NEWEST IN SHELL PINS

Designers Turn From Combs to Make Attractive Tortoise Pins for the Hair.



B E STILL, and heart and cease repining,
into each life some rain must fall,
Some days be dark and dreary.

—Longfellow.

Supper Dishes.

The following are some dishes suitable to serve for an evening supper, or they may be used for luncheon dishes:

Baury Oysters.—Clean a pint of oysters, parboil and drain. Melt four tablespoonsfuls of butter, add the same amount of flour and stir until well browned. Pour on gradually the oyster liquor and a half a cup of soup stock. Add a few drops of onion juice. Salt, pepper and a teaspoonful of Worcestershire sauce and the oysters. Serve on toast or in pretty shells or timber cases.

Ruskin Patties.—Parboil, drain and remove the liquor from a pint of oysters. There should be a half cup of shell of exquisitely marking studded with entwined serpents and loops of raised gold dots.

The newest real shell hairpins are quite small and light, as it is no longer fashionable to have the head look like a walking person. These are lost so easily that the average woman wears imitation shell. The real ones will drop less easily from the hair if the prongs are decidedly curved.

To keep shell in good condition it should be rubbed daily with a piece of chamois skin to prevent that ugly bluish marking headway. When the shell is once stained it must be sent to the manufacturer for repolishing. If a number of tortoise shell articles are to be polished it will be cheaper to send them direct to a manufacturer of shell goods than to a jeweler.

Stuffed Eggs.—Cut four hard-cooked eggs in halves crosswise, remove the yolks, wash and add two tablespoonsfuls of grated cheese, one teaspoonful of vinegar, one-fourth of a teaspoonful of mustard and salt and cayenne to taste. Add enough melted butter to make the mixture of the right consistency to shape. Make in balls the size of the yolks and refill the whites. Arrange on a serving dish, pour around one cup of white sauce; cover and refrigerate.

Eggs poached and served on toast with tomato sauce are very good for a change.

That cream cheese with green and fill the hollows of celery stalks.

Nellie Marcella

Official Encouragement.
"Every time the automobile breaks down I notice you examine your state license."

"I do that for encouragement. The license says I'm competent to operate the machine."

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Origin of Fireworks.
Fireworks originated in the thirteenth century, along with the evolution of powder and cannon. They were first employed by the Florentines, and later the use of fireworks became popular in Rome to the creation of the popes. The first fireworks which resemble those which we see nowadays were manufactured by Torro, an Italian artist, and displayed in Paris in 1704.

A Horse Census.
A cavalry authority in Heligoland estimates that there are more than 90,000,000 horses in the world. There are 22,000,000 in Russia, while Germany and Austria-Hungary each has more than the British Isles, where it is reckoned there are about 3,000,000.

Sympathy.

Sympathy is the grandest word in the world. It overcomes evil and strengthens good; it disarms rudeness, melts the hardest hearts and draws out the better part of human nature.—George Moore.

A Special Medicine for Kidney Ailments

Many elderly people have found in "Poley's Kidney Remedy" a quick relief and permanent benefit from kidney and bladder ailments and from annoying urinary irregularities due to advancing years. Isaac N. Rogan, Farmington, Me., says: "Poley's Kidney Remedy effected a complete cure in my case and I want others to know of it. Budger Drug Co.

Steel Pens an English Invention.

The first steel pens were invented by a man named Wise, in England, in 1608. Quill pens had their origin in the fifth century. Split reeds were used before that.

You Will Be Proud
of the appearance of your stove

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It makes old stoves look like new and lasts four times as long as any other. Don't imagine all brands of stove polish are alike. Black Silk is different. It's so much better than other stove polish that there is absolutely no comparison. It's in a class all by itself.

It makes a brilliant, glossy shine that appeals to the iron—don't rub or dust off. Give it a trial. Try it on your parlor stove—your cook stove or your gas range. If you do not find it the best stove polish you ever used, your dealer is authorized to refund your money.

Here is what some of the ladies write us:
"I like Black Silk Stove Polish better than any I have ever used. People say, 'where do you get your stove?' and tell them it's Black Silk Stove Polish that makes it look like new."

"I will not use any other kind when I can get Black Silk Stove Polish. It makes a better finish than any other polish I have ever used."

"Black Silk Stove Polish is by far the best I ever used. I have tried many different kinds but find none as good as this."

"I like Black Silk Stove Polish better than any I ever used. Several parties in this neighborhood are anxious to get some of your polish since they saw my stove after using it."

Ask your hardware dealer for Black Silk Stove Polish and refuse a counterfeit brand. Cost you no more than the ordinary kind so why not have the best?

MADE IN LIQUID OR PASTE ONE QUALITY

Black Silk Stove Polish Works

STERLING, ILLINOIS

Ask your hardware dealer also for Black Silk Air Drying Paint for use on grates, screens, registers, stove pipes, etc. Prevents rusting.

BLACK SILK LIQUID STOVE POLISH

LIQUID STOVE POLISH</p

The Honorable Senator Sagebrush

By FRANCIS LYNDE

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"Then it came over me all of a sudden that I'd been as crooked as a dog's hind leg; that we'd all been crooked.

Not that I'd ever taken a dollar for my personal pocket, for I haven't, but I've bought and sold and dickered and schemed with the best of 'em and the worst of 'em, just as McVicker's been doing for the past two months. Then I asked myself if I'd like to see you wallowing in the same mirehole, and—well, Evan, you may have a son of your own some day, and then you'll know, I thought I'd try you a little at first, and I did—that first day out at Wattrace. When you slipped out at me that day I made up my mind right then and there that I'd put the whole power of the "machine" on you until it, into one campaign for a clean election and a square deal."

"My heavens!" ejaculated the son. "And I've been fighting you and your organization at every turn!"

"No, you haven't," was the quick rejoinder. "You've been fighting graft, and that was what you thought you were hired to do. McVicker wasn't playing just fair with you. He gave you your job in the first place to take you away from me, but you've been in the hands of your friends right from the start, Evan. It was the organization that gave you all these chances to preach the new gospel of the square deal. It was the organization that pushed Hathaway up against you, so that you know that the railroad people were running around in the same old circles, hollering for justice and doing everything they could to defeat the ends of justice—muddying the spring because, they say, they don't know what else to do."

"Lastly, it's the organization that's going to see to it that your word to the people of this state is made good, son. Maybe we'll never be able to do it again, but this one time we shall do it. Gordon is going to be the biggest majority ever given to a governor of old Sagebrush, and the legislature will be five to one in favor of the square deal."

The younger man left his chair and walked to one of the windows to stand, looking down upon the lights of the busy street. When he turned again it was to say, "I don't see where I am to break in, dad."

"You have already broken in. While the legislature is going to be another corporation, it is also going to be fair when it finds out that all the railroad debts have been called off and canceled. You're the man to show the lawmen that this has actually been done. McVicker made a hasty and fast point of that when he consented to wipe the slate clean and go away and let us run our politics to suit ourselves. He made me promise to put it up to you fair and square, with a hand

some increase in salary and an iron-clad agreement to back up every claim you should make when you assert that the railroad company will fire the first man that is caught evading the laws. That's what I've been fighting for in this campaign, Evan, and it's what you must fight for!"

The son took the two steps necessary to reach the father's chair and held out his hand.

"I'm with you, dad," he said heartily. "I'll stay, and I'll make Mr. McVicker respect me and my principles before I'm through with it. But I'm still a little bit afraid that you and your kind are a menace to civilization and a free government. You won't mind my saying that, will you?"

"Lawmen, gracious, no! Say anything you like, son, or, rather, let me say something else first. How about this sincere goodness of McVicker's? Have you fixed that up yet?"

Evan shook his head despondently.

"She's going home with her father in October," he said, then. "Do you know what she did, dad? She ran the little red car into that tree intentionally so I couldn't get back here in time to use those affidavits which she and I both supposed would incriminate you."

"God bless her loyal little soul!" said the senator. "I hadn't told her what I was trying to do; but, Lord love you, she knew you true a woman for knowing, every time, son. And now one more thing. Have you come to know Honore any better in these last few days?"

"Yes; much better within the last hour, dad."

"Good. That does my old heart a heap of good, son. Let's go and get those two good women and take 'em down to dinner; then we'll drive back to Wattrace and get ready to touch off the fireworks when the returns come in. I tell you, son, tomorrow's election is going to be a regular old fashioned, heave 'em up and keep 'em going hand-to-hand."

Evan Blount was turning to go back to the inner sitting room, where McVicker was—when he suddenly remembered little Blenkinsop.

"Don't let that worry you for a minute, son," said the man who seemed to be at the heart of everything that was happening. "Half an hour after you left Blenkinsop this morning that stuff that they had stolen from your safe and then garbed up to suit themselves was all killed. When I told Blenkinsop over the phone that there wouldn't be any crooked lists used to cover—that he was merely fixing to

put himself on record as the biggest liar on two continents—he came down.

CHAPTER XX. THE LANDSLIDE.

CONTRARY to all expectation, the election proved to be one of the quietest ever known in the Sagebrush State. A few editors there were, like Blenkinsop of the Daily Capital, who later on maintained that it was merely another triumph for the machine, but there was no gainsaying the result. The reform ticket, with or without the help of the machine, was elected by sweeping majorities everywhere, and Ganty, sitting in his office and reading the who returns as they came in, gasped for breath and swooned desperately over each fresh batch of messages.

At Wattrace Hall the Hon. David turned to his son.

"Well, Evan, are the tangles all straightened out for you now?" he asked gently.

"Just about all of them," laughed Blount. He had spent a very happy evening, chiefly because McVicker had been occupying the other half of the small divan he had dragged out to face the fire. "But I'm still unalterably opposed to the machine in politics," he added.

The senator laughed silently.

"Call it 'organization' instead of 'machine,' son, and you've got the power that moves the civilized world today. You've heard me call the 'boss' from the time Ganty had his first talk with you back yonder in Massachusetts. Call me a man with friends enough to make me a sort of leader in the old home state, and you've got it about right. I don't say that I've always used the power justly. The Lord knows I'm no more infallible than other people. But, as I said to you yesterday, son, no matter what you've heard or who said it, I've never used the power to fatten my own pocketbook. I've bought and trafficked and bargained—I don't deny it—but only when it seemed as though the end justified the means."

"But the end never justifies evil means, dad," was the son's steadfast rejoinder. Then he looked up quickly from his place beside McVicker. "Is that the secret of all the invitations you've been getting?"

The humorous drawl's feet were wrinkling at the corners of David Blount's eyes.

"I reckon so, son," he admitted. "You have been in the hands of your friends—and they're my friends—right from the start. Almighty now everything you have done has been scheduled for you."

It was just here that the professor excused himself and stepped out to test. Mrs. Honore signaled to her husband and vanished in her turn. A few minutes after she had gone the senator rose and threw a fresh stick on the fire. Then he came to stand before the two on the little divan.

"Son," he said gravely, "you've got your work cut out for you, and it's a great deal of work. When the legislature meets you've got to go in single-handed and alone and get a handful of re-enacted laws passed for your railroad. You're going to have a hard fight, and there'll be times when you'll long with all your soul for some good, clean

honest little woman to go to for comfort and counsel. Of course I know that McVicker here has got another job, but—"

The senator had been out of sight and hearing for five full minutes when the young man reached over and took the hand that was tying nearest him.

"Yesterday afternoon, McVicker, when I had right and reason and logic on my side, your woman's intuition found the truer path. I know I am only one and you're poor people are many, but I am still foolish enough to—"

She looked up quickly, and the beautiful eyes were shining.

"We can't learn everything all at once, Evan," she said, breaking in upon his pleading.

"There was one moment yesterday when I learned the greatest thing of all. It was the moment when I saw the tree lying across the road. I knew then that I—that I—"

"I know," he said gently; "you knew that we must live or die for each other. You have heard what my father has said. I can't walk in the way he has marked out for me without you, McVicker."

With a swift little love impulse she lifted his hand and pressed it to her cheek.

"You needn't, Evan, dear," she said simply.

THE END.

The Eternal Tip.

It is as foolish to attempt to stop the wind as to oppose the ocean tide.

The wind will never be suppressed. The word may be changed, but the thing will not disappear. It is so human to be generous.—Paris Journal.

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Daily Science Talk

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and Sciences.

THE BAROGRAPH.

J. A. Prexel, the Philadelphia aviator, who claimed that he had gone to a height of 9,050 feet and thus exceeded Ralph Johnston's record, disputes the figures of the scientists who examined his barograph and insists that the original claim was correct but that he probably went higher than 9,050 feet, as the bulk in the instrument gave out at that height, and the higher flight was not recorded.

The barograph is merely a self-registering barometer, though it is a wonderfully accurate instrument. The mercury barometer was invented in 1643 by Torricelli. A glass tube filled by mercury is inverted and its open end plunged into a "cistern" of quicksilver, wherein the column of the fluid sinks till it balances the weight or pressure of the atmosphere at the cistern. The air pressure will vary according to weather and altitude.

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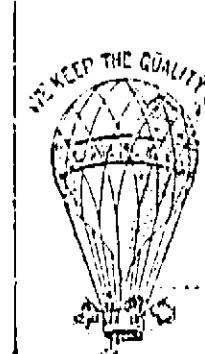
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